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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Kousuke SUZUKI

Group Art Unit: 2851

Application No.: 10/713,269

Examiner: P. KIM

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Docket No.: 108946.01

For: IMAGE FORMATION CHARACTERISTICS ADJUSTMENT METHOD FOR
PROJECTION OPTICAL SYSTEM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)
AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination based on the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period for response having expired on November 9, 2005, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested.

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